

# TIME TABLE.

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SUMMER ARRANGEMENT  
In effect June 25, 1900.

Trains Leave

**NEWPORT-NORTH**—5:10 a. m.; 7:30 a. m.; 1:20 p. m.; 3:40 p. m.; 5:45 p. m.; 8:00 p. m.; 10:15 p. m.

**BARTON LANDING**—North—4:35 a. m.; 6:55 a. m.; 9:15 a. m.; 11:35 a. m.; 1:55 p. m.; 4:15 p. m.; 6:35 p. m.; 8:55 p. m.; 11:15 p. m.

**COVENRY-NORTH**—4:25 a. m.; 6:45 a. m.; 9:05 a. m.; 11:25 a. m.; 1:45 p. m.; 4:05 p. m.; 6:25 p. m.; 8:45 p. m.; 11:05 p. m.

**ARTON-NORTH**—4:15 a. m.; 6:35 a. m.; 8:55 a. m.; 11:15 a. m.; 1:35 p. m.; 3:55 p. m.; 6:15 p. m.; 8:35 p. m.; 10:55 p. m.

**SOUTH BARTON-NORTH**—11:55 a. m.; 5:37 p. m.

**SUTTON-NORTH**—11:37 a. m.; 5:20 p. m.

**WEST BURKE-NORTH**—3:55 a. m.; 11:30 a. m.; 1:45 p. m.; 4:05 p. m.; 6:25 p. m.; 8:45 p. m.; 11:05 p. m.

**LYNDONVILLE-NORTH**—3:25 a. m.; 3:40 a. m.; 11:12 a. m.; 4:20 p. m.; 4:55 p. m.; 8:17 p. m.; 12:33 a. m.; 12:53 a. m.; 1:53 a. m.; 8:30 a. m.; 9:27 a. m.; 2:03 p. m.; 5:25 p. m.; 9:40 p. m.

**ST. JOHNSBURY-NORTH**—3:05 a. m.; 8:17 a. m.; 10:45 a. m.; 4:00 p. m.; 4:27 p. m.; 7:56 p. m.; 12:53 a. m.; 1:53 a. m.; 8:58 a. m.; 9:45 a. m.; 2:22 p. m.; 6:00 p. m.; 10:15 p. m.

**ST. JOHNSBURY-NORTH**—7:35 a. m.; 4:10 p. m.; 8:06 p. m.; 2:05 a. m.; 6:50 a. m.; 2:27 p. m.; 5:00 p. m.

**D. J. FLANDERS, G. P. & T. A.**

# WASHINGTON LETTER.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE MONITOR.)

Unless the Chinese government is composed of a lot of the most unblushing liars on earth, minister Conger and the other foreign ministers at Pekin are safe; but even if the ministers are safe, the murder of other foreigners known to have taken place in Pekin and elsewhere, make it necessary for the allied army now at Taku, to march to Pekin, take possession of that city, and retain it until satisfaction has been obtained from China. The allied powers are determined that China shall be punished anyway. The fate of the foreign ministers will be an important factor in determining how great that punishment will be; also in deciding whether war will be formally declared against China by the allies. Of course if war is declared, President McKinley will have to call an extra session of Congress; but no one knows at this time that any or all of the powers will decide to declare war. Should it turn out that the foreign ministers have been killed, the chances would increase for a declaration of war.

The republican leaders will meet the democrats more than half way in making so-called imperialism the campaign issue, although, of course, every person of ordinary common sense knows that there are no advocates of an American empire in the republican party. The foreign policy of the McKinley administration, which is fully endorsed by the republican party, is what the democrats pretend to see imperialism in. They will find out before they get through with it that about seven out of every ten voters in the U. S. are supporters of the foreign policy of President McKinley and believers in the era of Greater America inaugurated under his administration.

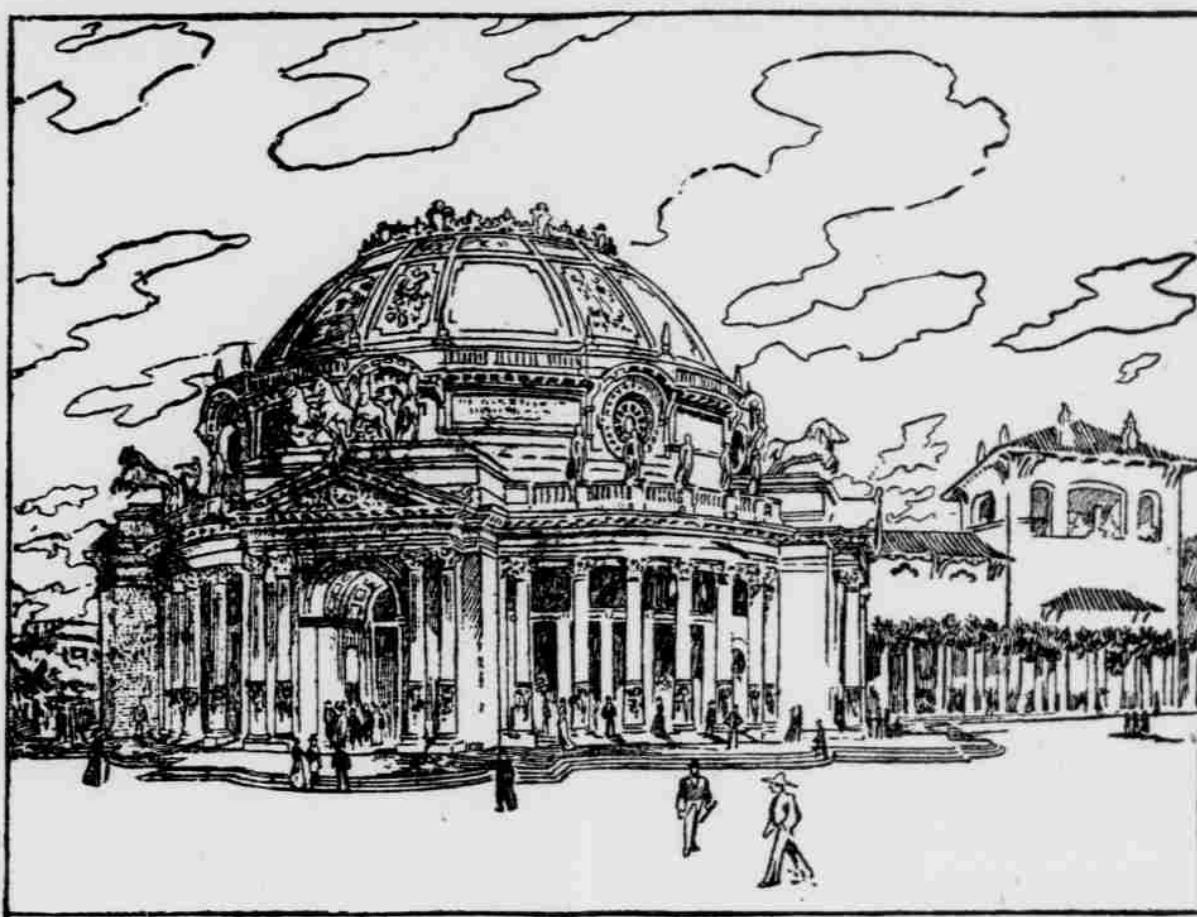
The republican Congressional Campaign Committee has not been figuring on the election of more than three or four representatives from the entire South, for obvious reasons. Vice Chairman Loudenslager, of that Committee, was therefore somewhat surprised when informed that one and possibly two of the six representatives from Louisiana, might be republicans. The information first reached him by mail, and he was inclined to regard it as the usual rainbow advance notice of an appeal to the committee for funds, but he viewed the matter differently when he was visited by a prominent Louisiana republican, and assured that there were excellent prospects for carrying one or two districts, and that the party in the state would pay all the expenses without asking the Congressional Committee for a cent. Louisiana has not had a republican representative since 1888.

Maj. E. T. Ladd, who is treasurer of the Military Government of Cuba, says there is a very strong sentiment in Cuba, especially among the property owners, against the carrying out of the announced programme for the withdrawal of U. S. troops from the island early next year. He says the Cuban masses are in no way fitted for self government. The finances of Cuba are in a flourishing condition, there being a surplus of more than \$3,000,000 in its treasury.

The offer of this government to purchase from Spain the two islands of the Philippine group which are outside the geographical boundaries named by the treaty, which ceded the Philippines to us, is one of statesman-like precaution. The islands themselves are insignificant, but in the hands of a power hostile to the U. S., they might give us a lot of trouble. It was because it was learned that a European nation was anxious to secure these islands for the purpose of using one of them as a naval station, that this government concluded that it would be wiser as well as cheaper to settle the controversy with Spain over the title to them, by buying them, and offered Spain \$100,000 for them, which it will probably accept. Of course, it is well known that the omission of those two islands from the treaty of Paris was an error, and that Spain has no equitable right to claim sovereignty over them; but technically they still belong to Spain and the easiest and quickest method of dealing with the matter has been adopted by this government.

Internal revenue receipts for the last fiscal year aggregated \$295,316,107, an increase over the previous year of \$21,831,534. There was an increase in all kinds of liquor stamps sold, amounting to 80,143 gallons of spirits distilled from grain and 2,749,735 barrels of fermented liquors. There was an increase in all sorts of tobacco stamps except those for cigarettes weighing not more than three pounds to the thousand, which decreased 167,051,180. The increase in the sale of oleomargarine stamps was 23,768,023 pounds.

# ETHNOLOGY BUILDING, PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION.



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One of the handsome structures at the great Pan-American Exposition, which is to be held in Buffalo from May 1 to Nov. 1, 1901, will be the Ethnology building. It will contain an exhibit of unusual interest to all Americans. Ethnology is the science which treats of the division of mankind into races, their origin, distribution and relations and the peculiarities which characterize them. At Buffalo the Ethnology building will be a veritable mine of information concerning the countries of North and South America. This will be peculiarly appropriate for the reason that the Exposition is a Pan-American, or All-American, event, and everything of interest concerning the various nations inhabiting the new world discovered by Columbus will be represented by an interesting exhibit in Buffalo when the Exposition's gates open on May 1, 1901. Strange to relate, the most interesting exhibits concerning several countries in South America are already in this country. Peru, for example, will send many interesting exhibits to the Pan-American Exposition and will use her influence to have exhibited in her section the remarkable collection of Peruvian antiquities now owned by various American museums.

# PARIS LETTER.

Paris, France, July 23d, 1900.

In a secluded corner of the Social Economy building, surrounded by a certain atmosphere of scholarly quiet, is an exhibit that stands unique among the contributions of the nations to the Paris exposition. It is that of the American Library Association, showing the progress of American libraries. The exhibit was prepared at the New York state library, Albany, N. Y., by Miss Florence Woodworth, under the general supervision of Melvil Dewey, director of the library. The collection as a whole represents the best thought of the American library profession and aims to illustrate all types of libraries, every phase of library work in all sections of the country. Through the interest and generosity of Mr. Andrew Carnegie a representative of the association will be in charge of the exhibit throughout the exposition.

The exhibit occupies a space six by nine feet, which is nearly one-thirtieth of that assigned to the United States in this building, and so, comparatively speaking, covers a large area. This includes seven units of installation, each corresponding very nearly in width and height to a tier of ordinary library shelving. The tiers are divided three feet from the floor by a broad ledge, with shelves below and wing frame cases above, each case holding 33 wing frames. Over the cases is a wall space, finished in rich green, hung with large platinum prints of some of the larger and newest types of American libraries.

The material exhibited is divided into five groups—1, monographs; 2, pictures; 3, charts; 4, books; 5, appliances.

The collection of nearly 650 photographs and more than fifty plans is exhibited on sheets 22x28 inches, mainly in the seven wing frame cases. Each case contains a distinct group of libraries, which may be very briefly summarized as follows: Case 1. Photographs of the American library association, library schools, traveling libraries, home education work, historical and atheneum libraries and national and state libraries. Case 2. Libraries of more than 200,000 volumes, including Copley prints of the Boston public library, plans of the New York public library now building and the Chicago public library. Case 3. Libraries ranging from 30,000 to 200,000 volumes and including a wide geographical range. Case 4. Some of the smaller libraries of the country, including many memorial libraries and a most interesting collection illustrating children's departments in public libraries. Case 5. The Carnegie libraries at Pittsburgh, Allegheny, Homestead, Braddock, Washington, Atlanta, etc., giving a striking example of what has been done by one man for American libraries. Case 6. Various libraries from various parts of the country.

Eleven statistical charts and maps show the wonderful growth of American libraries and their increasing influence as educational centers. A map prepared by the Massachusetts library commission, the oldest of the state commissions and the mother of a succession of most active ones, shows that of the 357 towns in the state only seven are without a free public library.

A collection of more than 400 carefully selected volumes makes up the fourth division of the exhibit. It is confined very largely to works on bibliography and library science,

economy and history, and along these lines it represents the best work and thought and most advanced ideas of American librarians. It is rich and valuable in its specially bound collections of printed matter issued by the American library association, state and local library clubs, and library schools; in its statistical collections in manuscript; in the collection of portraits of officers and members of the national association; in its books and pamphlets dealing with the newest problems and latest developments of library work, that is, with home education, home libraries, travelling libraries, state library commissions, library legislation, state aid to libraries, intimate relations with the public schools and children's departments in public libraries; its examples of great library catalogues and the ingenious American periodical indexes, the latest of which, the cumulative index, keeps this great mass of literature continuously indexed down to the month preceding that of publication. In a word the library is simply invaluable to the student of American library history, methods and progress.

The limited space allows little room for library appliances. There are several volumes of blanks showing forms used by the Chicago, Boston and St. Louis public libraries, the New York state library, etc.; examples of various methods of classification, cataloguing, charging of books, etc.; an interesting collection of printed cards illustrating one of the most useful methods of library co-operation and an attractive collection of picture bulletins, a new device for attracting attention and enticing people to read.

One of the latest features of American library work and the one which is perhaps making the greatest progress today, that of the travelling library, inaugurated by Melvil Dewey at the New York state library in 1892, is shown by the travel-stained case and well-worn books of the "Stout travelling library, No. 26," sent by the Wisconsin library commission, and which has been in actual use in the hamlets and remote farming districts of the state. Another branch of this same work of sending books to the people is shown by the Carnegie Home Library, which has done for the poor districts of Pittsburgh what the Stout library has done for the small villages of Wisconsin. The question of how to get the people to read good books, or in other words, get books to the people, is one of the most vital and interesting problems with which American librarianship is now dealing. The American library association exhibit not only concerns itself with the history of the past but it is a careful, well thought out and well arranged study of the modern library movement in America, a movement which keeps America ahead today in library methods and administration, as it has stood at the head from the first, since Benjamin Franklin founded in Philadelphia in 1745, the first public library.

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Addison county—Wallace N. Hill of Starksboro; E. O. Porter of Cornwall. Bennington county—Tyler D. Goodell of Readsboro; A. L. Graves of Manchester. Caledonia county—Alexander Dunnington of St. Johnsbury; Gilbert M. Campbell of Lyndonville. Chittenden county—Rufus E. Brown of Burlington; W. H. H. Varney of Charlotte; William J. Fuller of Underhill. Essex county—Charles H. Green of Canaan. Franklin county—H. Charles Royce of St. Albans; Orville Ballard of Georgia; Charles W. Gates of Franklin. Grand Isle county—Heman W. Marvin of Alburg. Lamoille county—P. D. Pike of Stowe. Orange county—William B. Viall of Randolph; Chas. F. Smith of Topsham. Orleans county—A. B. Nelson of Derby, F. W. Baldwin of Barton. Rutland county—P. W. Clement of Rutland; J. H. Aiken of Benson; E. O. Aldrich of Shrewsbury; P. R. Leavenworth of Castleton. Washington county—Zed D. Stanton of Roxbury; Joseph A. DeBoer of Montpelier. Windham county—A. E. Cudworth of South Londonderry; E. H. Miller of Dummerston. Windsor county—H. W. Walker of Woodstock; James E. Pollard of Chester; George F. Leland of Springfield.

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# PROBATE BUSINESS.

The following business was transacted by the probate court during the past week:

Lucius D. Jones estate, Craftsbury. Appraisers inventory returned and accepted.

Sarah M. Campbell estate, Brownington. Administrator's inventory returned and accepted.

Samuel Moody estate, Charleston. Administrator settles his account. Decree of distribution made.

Paul R. Thornton, minor, Dorchester, Mass., to wit, Albany. John C. Thornton appointed guardian.

Helen R. Green, minor, Newport. Jane K. Stewart, executrix of E. A. Stewart estate, late guardian, settles her account.

Marcia A. Skinner estate, Barton. Administrator's inventory returned and accepted.

Emily J. Ingalls, insane, Brownington. Order of removal to Vermont state hospital for the insane issued.

Emily J. Ingalls, insane, Brownington. Petition filed asking for the appointment of a guardian. Referred to August 17th, at Barton Landing, 9 a. m.

Anson M. Ruggles estate, Barton. Margaret J. Ruggles appointed administratrix. G. A. Drew and Fred Rand appraisers and commissioners.

The report made by the United States Department of Agriculture on wheat shows these interesting facts: First, last year's crop of almost two and three-quarters billion bushels will be no more than is necessary for the demand and for reserves; second, the continent of Europe produces more than one-half the world's supply of wheat, and North America about one-quarter, yet Europe is a constant buyer and America a constant seller. Ordinarily seventy-five per cent. of the wheat crop of the world is produced in seven countries,—the United States, Russia, France, India, Australia, Hungary, Germany and Italy,—but only the United States and Russia produce an amount in excess of their own demands.—Household.

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